

Daily Eagle

On the Edge of Society.
The most prominent characteristic of the young man who believes he knows about the edge of society is his disposition to speak ostentatiously of his debts. I was going to Kingston the other day when I found myself seated next to a young man of unknown income whose acquaintance I was obliged to acknowledge. He wore yellow and brown plaid trousers, a dark brown blouse, a white necktie and a pure white crush hat. I recognized the outfit and said:
"Going to the mountains, eh?"
"Yes, I love you; you don't know what a relief it is. I positively had to slip down through side streets to the ferry."
"Why, what did you do that for?"
"The laundry collectors were after me. I assure you I have not had a moment's peace in six months. Tailors' bills, shoe dealers' bills and haberdashers' bills have been thrust in my face at every corner I turned, don't you know. These people have no consideration for the feelings of a gentleman. They have made me wretched, most wretched. But now (drawing a long breath) I am clear from them all. I shall stay away till snow flies, if I freeze clear through for it. I'd rather be an icicle, don't you know, than the object of a collector's attention."
The pitiful little object didn't owe a cent in the world, except to his landlady. Not that he was honest, but because he could not get trusted for a cigarette, let alone a suit of clothing. The fly suit that he wore, I happened to know, had been purchased at a \$10-for-the-week sale in Eighth avenue, and when his landlady threw him out he hurried off to the Catskills, where he hoped that his dainty manners and imitation English would give him provender for a week or two. Meantime he must needs pour the tale of his persecutions from collectors into the ears of those whom he could not thus defraud, because it was fashionable to imitate the young men about town who have credit and abuse it.—New York Cor. Brooklyn Eagle.

Chief "Bill Poster" of England.
A man who is engaged in business, no matter how extensive it is and how educated and gentlemanly he may be, is considered as being "in the trade," which is a bar to his being presented to the queen, and, consequently, to his admission into the sacred circle of the aristocracy. I know of but one exception to this rule. Hon. W. H. Smith, a former member of the lords of the admiralty, was subsequently a member of the ministry, and who was formerly a member of parliament, is called the chief "bill poster" of all England. He gained this title from being the president of a company which rents all the theatres in London, on all the railroad platforms, and in depots and other available places throughout England where billboards are erected, and which is accessible to parties wishing to advertise. The company also has control of all the news sheets at railroad depots and in the cities of England, and are thus engaged in selling newspapers on a gigantic scale all over Great Britain, in addition to the rather small business, although on a great scale, of putting out news for bills and posters. This great "bill poster" and "news vendor," in spite of his plain business, has the ear of the aristocratic society, simply on account of his ability as a politician and having been a member of the ministry.—London Cor. Cleveland Leader.

The Robble So Many Admirers.
The warpath wood of English society is a sham. Thursday saw it out of the clearest kind of common sense eyes, and even Dickens was not wholly deaf to it. But, while the same truth is out, it is repeated just as the bull in the arena makes good soldiers. The power of England is undeniable. The slave in the woman, when she does not sleep, makes excellent housewifery. The domestic fabric of England is respectable and orderly. But the church, the state and the home built upon the peace and balance of classes in the relation which now exists, and which, with trifling incidents not seriously disturbing the personal life of England, has existed since Magna Charta.—Henry Watterson in Court-Journal.

A Raspberry Picking Machine.
A citizen of Yates, N. Y., has invented a machine for picking raspberries. It consists of a long tray made of cloth affixed to a light frame. This tray is carried from bush to bush very easily, and with a large hook in one hand the operator draws the bush over the tray, while with the other hand he strikes the bush lightly with a padded bat. It has been proven that for \$15 as many berries can be picked as cost before \$60. In other words, one person with this tray can gather sixty quarts per hour, or 600 quarts in ten hours.—Chicago Times.

The "Tree State of Dade."
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A Modern Demosthenes.
Hugh Lennox Legare, of South Carolina, was a good specimen of a cultivated orator. Originally his voice had been harsh and weak, while a defective shape and ill-proportioned arms (two of which had been afflicted with smallpox in his youth) seemed to render it impossible for him ever to attain a graceful or an expressive articulation. Yet, by a self-training to which the famous one of Demosthenes was almost nothing, he vanquished these formidable disadvantages. By the practice of everything that could strengthen his utterance, give him the command of his modulations and improve his whole enunciation, he absolutely created himself a voice the most powerful and one of the most perfect I had ever heard. It became clear, musical, delicate and true in its most minute intonations, while, in its more vehement bursts of sound, it grew capable of filling the largest hall with thundering tones, to which we have often felt the walls of a legislative ring and vibrate.

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And now comes a tale of woe from Burden, Cowley county, which, if true, takes the premium over all competitors. A man who got tired at the country and longed to sell his farm received an offer from a Missouri man and accepted it. The Missouri man offered him seven hundred dollars for his farm, agreeing to ship the mules as soon as the deed to the farm was deposited with the mule man's banker. Accordingly the deed was forwarded, and the purchaser looked anxiously for the mules. He did not think of the animals coming by express until he received notice to call at the office. Upon calling he found several china mules—the price of his farm. He lost no time in going to see his man, but the latter had sold out and shipped.—Leavenworth (Kan.)

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